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MASSACHUSETTS LANDINGS BY PORTS, FEBRUARY 1974

FISH & WILDLIFE SERVICE

(PRELIMINARY)

SPECIES	PORT					
	BOSTON		GLoucester		NEW BEDFORD	
	POUNDS	DOLLARS	POUNDS	DOLLARS	POUNDS	DOLLARS
FISH						
ANGLERFISH.	-	-	6,725	644	-	-
BUTTERFISH, MEDIUM.	-	-	-	-	1,825	548
COD, LARGE.	437,430	103,528	378,307	86,098	243,707	60,197
COD, MARKET.	440,630	126,982	463,277	125,520	475,856	122,261
COD, SCROD.	281,126	68,508	480,563	74,491	75,433	19,353
COD.	50	6	-	-	-	-
CUSK.	11,217	2,527	119,444	23,165	-	-
FLOUNDERS, BLACKBACK, LARGE.	30,325	19,139	28,450	12,858	58,718	21,829
FLOUNDERS, BLACKBACK, SMALL.	2,900	580	-	-	38,900	7,357
FLOUNDERS, DAB, SEA, LARGE.	14,415	6,284	40,150	13,015	16,415	5,224
FLOUNDERS, DAB, SEA, SMALL.	-	-	892	44	8,940	1,684
FLOUNDERS, FLUKE, LARGE.	-	-	-	-	1,440	466
FLOUNDERS, FLUKE, MEDIUM.	-	-	-	-	4,395	1,182
FLOUNDERS, FLUKE, SMALL.	-	-	-	-	2,290	450
FLOUNDERS, GRAY SOLE, LARGE.	26,190	11,617	41,300	23,031	8,400	2,620
FLOUNDERS, GRAY SOLE, SMALL.	17,950	6,020	660	170	15,715	3,115
FLOUNDERS, LEMON SOLE.	16,135	9,811	12,125	5,747	19,445	9,964
FLOUNDERS, YELLOWTAIL, LARGE.	28,185	11,120	20,920	7,568	1,449,045	527,437
FLOUNDERS, YELLOWTAIL, SMALL.	750	125	40	6	470,610	149,879
HADDUCK, LARGE.	155,075	87,203	43,096	21,852	96,341	41,236
HADDUCK, SCROD.	120,174	47,513	80,499	25,135	42,059	9,179
HADDUCK, SNAPPER.	570	235	12,761	2,322	16,444	1,528
HAKE, RED.	150	69	18,960	972	-	-
HAKE, WHITE, UNCLASSIFIED.	6,834	1,893	52,152	12,731	1,340	50
HALIBUT.	1,373	1,745	2,851	2,772	40	17
HERRING, SEA.	-	-	769,590	23,249	91,620	2,748
OCEAN PERCH, ATLANTIC.	44,270	8,331	445,005	52,977	-	-
POLLOCK.	584,487	108,631	407,121	63,457	29,964	3,037
SKATES.	-	-	7,180	639	-	-
TILEFISH.	-	-	4,556	1,422	3,079	648
WHITING.	-	-	2,581	198	-	-
WOLFFISH.	9,258	1,448	3,780	889	1,350	94
UNCLASSIFIED FOR FOOD.	900	333	133,480	39,042	-	-
UNCLASSIFIED FOR INDUSTRIAL.	-	-	-	-	602,640	9,280
TOTAL FISH	2,242,994	625,648	3,276,965	620,014	3,276,011	1,001,383
SHELLFISH						
SHRIMP, SALTWATER (HEADS-ON).	-	-	610,665	207,290	-	-
SCALLOPS, SEA (MEATS).	-	-	-	-	165,029	298,867
SQUID.	-	-	-	-	81,375	12,638
TOTAL SHELLFISH			610,665	207,290	246,404	311,505
GRAND TOTAL	2,242,994	625,648	3,887,630	827,304	3,522,415	1,312,888

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MASSACHUSETTS LANDINGS BY PORTS, FEBRUARY 1974

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SPECIES	(PRELIMINARY)		FEBRUARY			
	PORT		1973		1974	
	OTHER					
FISH	POUNDS	DOLLARS	POUNDS	DOLLARS	POUNDS	DOLLARS
ANGLERFISH.	9,300	1,021	3,250	203	16,025	1,665
BUTTERFISH, LARGE.	7,210	2,401	-	-	7,210	2,401
BUTTERFISH, MEDIUM.	-	-	-	-	1,825	548
COD, LARGE.	127,966	35,659	782,242	189,723	1,187,410	285,482
COD, MARKET.	230,573	56,246	1,027,415	263,553	1,616,336	433,009
COD, SCROD.	89,238	9,307	326,438	53,881	926,360	171,659
COD.	1,870	409	125	25	1,920	415
CUSK.	17,549	2,971	165,556	22,945	148,210	28,663
EELS, CONGER.	55	15	-	-	55	15
FLOUNDERS, BLACKBACK, LARGE.	55,699	20,823	209,590	85,529	179,192	74,649
FLOUNDERS, BLACKBACK, SMALL.	52,960	13,840	115,665	26,536	94,760	21,777
FLOUNDERS, DAB, SEA, LARGE.	6,710	1,758	-	-	77,690	26,281
FLOUNDERS, DAB, SEA, SMALL.	1,185	212	-	-	11,017	1,940
FLOUNDERS, DAB, SEA, UNCL.	-	-	95,885	26,046	-	-
FLOUNDERS, FLUKE, LARGE.	722	399	-	-	2,162	865
FLOUNDERS, FLUKE, MEDIUM.	585	265	-	-	4,980	1,447
FLOUNDERS, FLUKE, SMALL.	135	34	-	-	2,425	484
FLOUNDERS, GRAY SOLE, UNCL.	-	-	155,110	60,844	-	-
FLOUNDERS, GRAY SOLE, LARGE.	12,355	6,470	-	-	88,245	43,738
FLOUNDERS, GRAY SOLE, SMALL.	5,070	1,284	-	-	39,395	10,589
FLOUNDERS, LEMON SOLE.	210	100	75,620	41,358	47,915	25,622
FLOUNDERS, YELLOWTAIL, LARGE.	179,055	75,089	-	-	1,677,205	621,214
FLOUNDERS, YELLOWTAIL, SMALL.	57,660	12,176	-	-	529,060	162,186
FLOUNDERS, YELLOWTAIL, UNCL.	120	46	2,343,915	877,631	120	46
HADDOCK, LARGE.	5,045	2,851	452,640	191,565	300,657	153,142
HADDOCK, SCROD.	655	189	98,518	29,926	243,387	82,016
HADDOCK, SNAPPER.	-	-	3,170	533	29,775	4,085
HAKE, RED.	-	-	5,895	319	19,110	1,041
HAKE, WHITE, LARGE.	-	-	96,734	22,982	-	-
HAKE, WHITE, MEDIUM.	-	-	5,197	963	-	-
HAKE, WHITE, UNCLASSIFIED.	17,997	4,016	-	-	78,323	18,690
HALIBUT.	5,104	8,935	6,467	7,593	9,368	13,469
HERRING, SEA.	-	-	2,135	303	861,210	25,997
OCEAN PERCH, ATLANTIC.	50	8	1,833,220	159,815	489,325	61,316
POLLOCK.	9,711	1,390	672,351	112,428	1,031,283	176,515
SKATES.	1,590	139	7,790	597	8,770	778
STURGEON.	94	14	18	2	94	14
SWORDFISH.	6,274	8,532	-	-	6,274	8,532
TILEFISH.	12,786	3,505	-	-	20,421	5,575
WHITING.	1,260	157	20,780	1,625	3,841	355
WOLFFISH.	30,354	3,532	20,742	2,150	44,742	5,963
UNCLASSIFIED FOR FOOD.	10,434	2,909	95,885	23,625	144,814	42,284
UNCLASSIFIED, SPAWN.	-	-	1,756	363	-	-
UNCLASSIFIED FOR INDUSTRIAL.	-	-	190,090	3,778	602,640	9,280
TOTAL FISH.	957,581	276,702	8,814,199	2,206,841	10,553,551	2,523,747
SHELLEISH						
CRABS, ROCK.	-	-	1,800	360	-	-
LOBSTERS, AMERICAN, UNCL.	4,961	8,522	40,482	93,038	4,961	8,522
LOBSTERS, AMERICAN, LARGE.	21,197	40,394	-	-	21,197	40,394
SHRIMP, SALTWATER (HEADS-ON).	-	-	1,122,585	279,171	610,665	207,290
SCALLOPS, SEA (MEATS).	5,896	10,484	181,388	374,731	170,925	309,351
SQUID.	495	208	-	-	81,870	12,846
TOTAL SHELLFISH.	32,549	59,608	1,352,255	747,300	889,618	578,403
GRAND TOTAL.	990,130	336,310	10,166,454	2,954,141	11,443,169	3,102,150

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SUPPLEMENTAL MASSACHUSETTS LANDINGS, BY COUNTIES, FEBRUARY 1974

(Preliminary)

SPECIES	BARNSTABLE		BRISTOL		DUKES		ESSEX	
	POUNDS	DOLLARS	POUNDS	DOLLARS	POUNDS	DOLLARS	POUNDS	DOLLARS
<u>FISH</u>								
COD, DRAWN.	-	-	32,228	10,814	3,448	752	-	-
FLOUNDERS, ROUND, FLUKE . . .	-	-	830	252	-	-	-	-
HADDOCK, DRAWN.	-	-	40	20	-	-	-	-
TOTAL FISH.	-	-	33,098	11,086	3,448	752	-	-
<u>SHELLFISH ET AL.</u>								
LOBSTERS, AMERICAN.	153	288	1,737	3,326	-	-	6,250	11,258
CLAM MEATS:								
HARD.	17,846	25,745	790	928	-	-	-	-
SOFT.	807	1,090	-	-	-	-	4,394	4,954
SURF.	105	26	-	-	-	-	-	-
CONCH MEATS.	81	33	-	-	-	-	-	-
MUSSEL MEATS, SEA.	2,360	614	-	-	-	-	-	-
OYSTER MEATS.	111	281	-	-	-	-	-	-
SCALLOP MEATS, BAY.	920	2,761	-	-	1,963	4,943	-	-
TOTAL SHELLFISH ET AL	22,383	30,838	2,527	4,254	1,963	4,943	10,644	16,212
GRAND TOTAL.	22,383	30,838	35,625	15,340	5,411	5,695	10,644	16,212

SPECIES	PLYMOUTH		SUFFOLK		TOTAL			
					FEBRUARY 1973		FEBRUARY 1974	
					POUNDS	DOLLARS	POUNDS	DOLLARS
<u>FISH</u>								
COD, DRAWN.	538	207	-	-	46,750	14,184	36,214	11,773
EELS, COMMON, ROUND.	45	38	-	-	70	22	45	38
FLOUNDERS, ROUND:								
BLACKBACK.	552	221	-	-	1,272	421	552	221
FLUKE.	556	181	-	-	174	52	1,386	433
YELLOWTAIL.	355	142	-	-	1,057	405	355	142
HADDOCK, DRAWN.	-	-	-	-	8	5	40	20
HALIBUT, DRAWN.	-	-	-	-	70	105	-	-
TOTAL FISH.	2,046	789	-	-	49,401	15,194	38,592	12,627
<u>SHELLFISH ET AL.</u>								
LOBSTERS, AMERICAN.	2,056	4,305	4,047	8,090	15,539	31,463	14,243	27,267
CLAM MEATS:								
HARD.	3,280	5,516	-	-	10,243	11,995	21,916	32,189
SOFT.	195	285	-	-	1,404	1,633	5,396	6,329
SURF.	-	-	-	-	-	-	105	26
CONCH MEATS.	-	-	-	-	785	72	81	33
MUSSEL MEATS, SEA.	-	-	-	-	3,500	910	2,360	614
OYSTER MEATS.	39	148	-	-	416	960	150	429
SCALLOP MEATS:								
BAY.	22	66	-	-	10,481	26,249	2,905	7,770
SEA.	-	-	-	-	711	1,422	-	-
TOTAL SHELLFISH ET AL	5,592	10,320	4,047	8,090	43,079	74,704	47,156	74,657
GRAND TOTAL.	7,638	11,109	4,047	8,090	92,480	89,898	85,748	87,284

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SUPPLEMENTAL MASSACHUSETTS LANDINGS, BY COUNTIES, FEBRUARY 1974 - Continued

(Preliminary)

SPECIES	TOTAL			
	JANUARY-FEBRUARY 1973		JANUARY-FEBRUARY 1974	
	<u>POUNDS</u>	<u>DOLLARS</u>	<u>POUNDS</u>	<u>DOLLARS</u>
<u>FISH</u>				
COD, DRAWN.	82,425	25,116	75,475	21,132
EELS, COMMON, ROUND	827	338	739	401
FLOUNDERS, ROUND:				
BLACKBACK	2,542	708	3,941	1,133
FLUKE	216	62	1,386	433
YELLOWTAIL.	1,455	504	1,066	396
HADDOCK, DRAWN.	8	5	40	20
HALIBUT, DRAWN.	70	105	-	-
UNCLASSIFIED, FOR FOOD. . .	59	9	-	-
TOTAL FISH.	87,602	26,847	82,647	23,515
<u>SHELLFISH ET AL.</u>				
CRABS, ROCK	144	14	-	-
LOBSTERS, AMERICAN.	36,535	74,807	63,922	112,435
CLAM MEATS:				
HARD.	26,469	33,284	33,104	49,923
SOFT.	2,005	2,384	11,431	13,211
SURF.	-	-	392	147
CONCH MEATS	878	102	81	33
MUSSEL MEATS, SEA	6,665	1,737	2,360	614
OYSTER MEATS.	1,037	2,047	150	429
SCALLOP MEATS:				
BAY	24,458	60,598	13,253	35,758
SEA	2,901	5,710	-	-
TOTAL SHELLFISH ET AL.	101,092	180,683	124,693	212,550
GRAND TOTAL	188,694	207,530	207,340	236,065

Note:--Data are for certain fish and shellfish caught in coastal waters of Massachusetts and recorded by the Massachusetts Division of Marine Fisheries, Department of Natural Resources, in cooperation with the National Marine Fisheries Service, under the Commercial Fisheries Research and Development Act of 1964 (Public Law 88-309, as amended). The cumulative and comparative monthly data may include revisions. The weights of fish given in this table are those of the fresh fish as landed; the values are those received by the fishermen. Data shown in this table are not included in other tables in this report. The following terms indicate the condition in which the fish are landed: "round," as caught; "drawn," eviscerated; and "dressed," eviscerated and headed.

